

The Honorable Ronald B. Leighton

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA

ANDRE THOMPSON, a single man; and
BRYSON CHAPLIN, a single man,

Plaintiffs,

V.

CITY OF OLYMPIA, a municipal corporation and local government entity; and RYAN DONALD and "JANE DOE" DONALD, individually and the marital community comprised thereof,

Defendants.

No. 3:18-cv-05267-RBL

JOINT MOTION AND ORDER FOR BIFURCATION OF LIABILITY AND DAMAGES

All parties have consulted and jointly agree that the Court should order this case bifurcated to litigate liability issues before damages. This has the potential of reducing the number of trial days by 4-6, and will save all parties considerable expense on damages experts and other witnesses.

The parties jointly move the Court to order the trial bifurcated in the manner.

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20 **ORDER**
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22 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the agreed motion is GRANTED;

23 IT IS FUTHER ORDERED that this matter will proceed to trial in a manner
24 bifurcating liability and damages.

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27 Ronald B. Leighton
United States District Judge

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